

SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS
2009-2013 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Area Name : Census Tract 6069.01, Howard County, Maryland

Subject	Census Tract 6069.01, Howard County, Maryland			
	Estimate	Estimate Margin of Error	Percent	Percent Margin of Error
HOUSING OCCUPANCY				
Total housing units	2,286	+/- 100	100.0%	+/- (X)
Occupied housing units	2,075	+/- 164	90.8%	+/- 5.8
Vacant housing units	211	+/- 132	9.2%	+/- 5.8
Homeowner vacancy rate	5	+/- 5.3	(X)%	+/- (X)
Rental vacancy rate	6	+/- 8.9	(X)%	+/- (X)
UNITS IN STRUCTURE				
Total housing units	2,286	+/- 100	100.0%	+/- (X)
1-unit, detached	892	+/- 157	39%	+/- 7.2
1-unit, attached	596	+/- 155	26.1%	+/- 6.5
2 units	60	+/- 63	2.6%	+/- 2.7
3 or 4 units	12	+/- 20	0.5%	+/- 0.9
5 to 9 units	29	+/- 35	1.3%	+/- 1.5
10 to 19 units	211	+/- 98	9.2%	+/- 4.2
20 or more units	105	+/- 95	4.6%	+/- 4.1
Mobile home	381	+/- 103	16.7%	+/- 4.4
Boat, RV, van, etc.	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 1.5
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT				
Total housing units	2,286	+/- 100	100.0%	+/- (X)
Built 2010 or later	27	+/- 30	1.2%	+/- 1.3
Built 2000 to 2009	237	+/- 139	10.4%	+/- 6
Built 1990 to 1999	603	+/- 161	26.4%	+/- 7.1
Built 1980 to 1989	846	+/- 198	37%	+/- 8.5
Built 1970 to 1979	190	+/- 123	8.3%	+/- 5.3
Built 1960 to 1969	74	+/- 50	3.2%	+/- 2.2
Built 1950 to 1959	71	+/- 48	3.1%	+/- 2.1
Built 1940 to 1949	217	+/- 124	5.4%	+/- 5.4
Built 1939 or earlier	21	+/- 35	0.9%	+/- 1.5
ROOMS				
Total housing units	2,286	+/- 100	100.0%	+/- (X)
1 room	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 1.5
2 rooms	57	+/- 87	2.5%	+/- 3.8
3 rooms	227	+/- 129	9.9%	+/- 5.5
4 rooms	207	+/- 104	9.1%	+/- 4.5
5 rooms	432	+/- 129	18.9%	+/- 5.8
6 rooms	631	+/- 169	27.6%	+/- 7.1
7 rooms	391	+/- 143	17.1%	+/- 6.3
8 rooms	144	+/- 69	6.3%	+/- 3
9 rooms or more	197	+/- 99	8.6%	+/- 4.4
Median rooms	5.8	+/- 0.3	(X)%	+/- (X)
BEDROOMS				
Total housing units	2,286	+/- 100	100.0%	+/- (X)
No bedroom	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 1.5
1 bedroom	277	+/- 139	12.1%	+/- 5.9
2 bedrooms	534	+/- 155	23.4%	+/- 6.6
3 bedrooms	1,142	+/- 183	50%	+/- 7.9
4 bedrooms	306	+/- 116	13.4%	+/- 5.1
5 or more bedrooms	27	+/- 26	1.2%	+/- 1.1

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HOUSING TENURE				
Occupied housing units	2,075	+/- 164	100.0%	+/- (X)
Owner-occupied	1,395	+/- 175	67.2%	+/- 7.7
Renter-occupied	680	+/- 178	32.8%	+/- 7.7
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.86	+/- 0.27	(X)%	+/- (X)
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.38	+/- 0.39	(X)%	+/- (X)
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT				
Occupied housing units	2,075	+/- 164	100.0%	+/- (X)
Moved in 2010 or later	279	+/- 129	13.4%	+/- 5.9
Moved in 2000 to 2009	970	+/- 194	46.7%	+/- 8
Moved in 1990 to 1999	572	+/- 159	27.6%	+/- 7.7
Moved in 1980 to 1989	156	+/- 84	7.5%	+/- 4
Moved in 1970 to 1979	37	+/- 36	1.8%	+/- 1.7
Moved in 1969 or earlier	61	+/- 38	2.9%	+/- 1.9
VEHICLES AVAILABLE				
Occupied housing units	2,075	+/- 164	100.0%	+/- (X)
No vehicles available	38	+/- 39	1.8%	+/- 1.9
1 vehicle available	713	+/- 189	34.4%	+/- 8.8
2 vehicles available	983	+/- 187	47.4%	+/- 8.3
3 or more vehicles available	341	+/- 126	16.4%	+/- 5.8
HOUSE HEATING FUEL				
Occupied housing units	2,075	+/- 164	100.0%	+/- (X)
Utility gas	332	+/- 135	16%	+/- 6.2
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	118	+/- 63	5.7%	+/- 2.9
Electricity	1,286	+/- 171	62%	+/- 8.4
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	298	+/- 143	14.4%	+/- 6.5
Coal or coke	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 1.7
Wood	26	+/- 40	1.3%	+/- 1.9
Solar energy	0	+/- 17	0.0%	+/- 1.7
Other fuel	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 1.7
No fuel used	15	+/- 25	0.7%	+/- 1.2
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS				
Occupied housing units	2,075	+/- 164	100.0%	+/- (X)
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 1.7
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 1.7
No telephone service available	25	+/- 29	1.2%	+/- 1.4
OCCUPANTS PER ROOM				
Occupied housing units	2,075	+/- 164	100.0%	+/- (X)
1.00 or less	2,054	+/- 158	99%	+/- 1.5
1.01 to 1.50	21	+/- 32	1%	+/- 1.5
1.51 or more	0	+/- 17	0.0%	+/- 1.7
VALUE				
Owner-occupied units	1,395	+/- 175	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than \$50,000	107	+/- 62	7.7%	+/- 4.5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	80	+/- 57	5.7%	+/- 4.1
\$100,000 to \$149,999	53	+/- 73	3.8%	+/- 5.1
\$150,000 to \$199,999	66	+/- 56	4.7%	+/- 4.1
\$200,000 to \$299,999	494	+/- 135	35.4%	+/- 8.7
\$300,000 to \$499,999	557	+/- 156	39.9%	+/- 9.8
\$500,000 to \$999,999	28	+/- 24	2%	+/- 1.7

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\$1,000,000 or more	10	+/- 16	0.7%	+/- 1.1
Median (dollars)	\$284,200	+/- 19724	(X)%	+/- (X)
MORTGAGE STATUS				
Owner-occupied units	1,395	+/- 175	100.0%	+/- (X)
Housing units with a mortgage	1,238	+/- 185	88.7%	+/- 5.6
Housing units without a mortgage	157	+/- 77	11.3%	+/- 5.6
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)				
Housing units with a mortgage	1,238	+/- 185	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than \$300	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 2.8
\$300 to \$499	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 2.8
\$500 to \$699	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 2.8
\$700 to \$999	59	+/- 65	4.8%	+/- 5.2
\$1,000 to \$1,499	390	+/- 138	31.5%	+/- 10
\$1,500 to \$1,999	343	+/- 125	27.7%	+/- 9.6
\$2,000 or more	446	+/- 154	36%	+/- 10.9
Median (dollars)	\$1,736	+/- 167	(X)%	+/- (X)
Housing units without a mortgage	157	+/- 77	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than \$100	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 19.8
\$100 to \$199	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 19.8
\$200 to \$299	28	+/- 40	17.8%	+/- 24.6
\$300 to \$399	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 19.8
\$400 or more	129	+/- 72	82.2%	+/- 24.6
Median (dollars)	\$487	+/- 188	(X)%	+/- (X)
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAPI)				
Housing units with a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	1,238	+/- 185	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than 20.0 percent	367	+/- 135	29.6%	+/- 10.1
20.0 to 24.9 percent	315	+/- 120	25.4%	+/- 8.8
25.0 to 29.9 percent	220	+/- 97	17.8%	+/- 7.5
30.0 to 34.9 percent	79	+/- 51	6.4%	+/- 4.2
35.0 percent or more	257	+/- 119	20.8%	+/- 8.7
Not computed	0	+/- 17	(X)%	+/- (X)
Housing unit without a mortgage (excluding units where SMOCAPI cannot be computed)	157	+/- 77	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than 10.0 percent	66	+/- 52	42%	+/- 29
10.0 to 14.9 percent	41	+/- 52	26.1%	+/- 27.1
15.0 to 19.9 percent	18	+/- 29	11.5%	+/- 17.8
20.0 to 24.9 percent	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 19.8
25.0 to 29.9 percent	9	+/- 16	5.7%	+/- 11.1
30.0 to 34.9 percent	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 19.8
35.0 percent or more	23	+/- 23	14.6%	+/- 15.1
Not computed	0	+/- 17	(X)%	+/- (X)
GROSS RENT				
Occupied units paying rent	680	+/- 178	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than \$200	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 5
\$200 to \$299	0	+/- 17	0%	+/- 5
\$300 to \$499	11	+/- 19	1.6%	+/- 2.7
\$500 to \$749	103	+/- 103	15.1%	+/- 13.7
\$750 to \$999	70	+/- 68	10.3%	+/- 9.7
\$1,000 to \$1,499	215	+/- 100	31.6%	+/- 15.9
\$1,500 or more	281	+/- 158	41.3%	+/- 18.2

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Median (dollars)	\$1,387	+/- 228	(X)%	+/- (X)
No rent paid	0	+/- 17	(X)%	+/- (X)
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)				
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI cannot be computed)	680	+/- 178	100.0%	+/- (X)
Less than 15.0 percent	87	+/- 75	12.8%	+/- 10.7
15.0 to 19.9 percent	46	+/- 44	6.8%	+/- 6
20.0 to 24.9 percent	48	+/- 45	7.1%	+/- 6.8
25.0 to 29.9 percent	130	+/- 100	19.1%	+/- 13.2
30.0 to 34.9 percent	77	+/- 59	11.3%	+/- 8.2
35.0 percent or more	292	+/- 126	42.9%	+/- 13.7
Not computed	0	+/- 17	(X)%	+/- (X)

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

The median gross rent excludes no cash renters.

In prior years, the universe included all owner-occupied units with a mortgage. It is now restricted to include only those units where SMOCAPI is computed, that is, SMOC and household income are valid values.

In prior years, the universe included all owner-occupied units without a mortgage. It is now restricted to include only those units where SMOCAPI is computed, that is, SMOC and household income are valid values.

In prior years, the universe included all renter-occupied units. It is now restricted to include only those units where GRAPI is computed, that is, gross rent and household Income are valid values.

Median calculations for base table sourcing VAL, MHC, SMOC, and TAX should exclude zero values.

The 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, and 2013 plumbing data for Puerto Rico will not be shown. Research indicates that the questions on plumbing facilities that were introduced in 2008 in the stateside American Community Survey and the 2008 Puerto Rico Community Survey may not have been appropriate for Puerto Rico.

Telephone service data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with data collection. See Errata Note #93 for details.

While the 2009-2013 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the February 2013 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2010 data. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2009-2013 5-Year American Community Survey

Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '***' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
2. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
4. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
5. An '****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the median falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution. A statistical test is not appropriate.
6. An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
7. An 'N' entry in the estimate and margin of error columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.
8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.